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To The Alumni

Indiana has commenced its second half century under favorable and promising circumstances.

The enrollment, as these lines are written, is 1084 students with four-year high school graduation or equivalent preparation for entrance. One-third of these students are in three-year curricula. We began, in September 1925, a four-year curriculum in Home Economics. The State Council of Education—on September 18, 1925,—indicated its willingness to consider, on its merits, the matter of giving degrees in State Normal Schools. A committee of principals is studying the revision of existing curricula this year and also studying the extension of certain curricula to the four-year basis.

The demand for student teaching has increased to such an extent that this year sixty-four, or more, seniors will do all of their student teaching in Johnstown and Altoona.

The contract for a concrete tunnel from the Power House to John Sutton Hall has been awarded. The tunnel will probably be completed by March, 1926. We are expecting to have plans and specifications for a Gymnasium ready by that time so that the actual work of building may be done in the spring and summer of 1926.

If, in addition to the foregoing forward steps, the alumni find it in their hearts to provide for the building of a Jane E. Leonard Memorial Library, Indiana will be well on its way toward realizing the dream and ideal of the founders, teachers, students, alumni, and friends.

JOHN A. H. KEITH.

TRAINING SCHOOL NOTES

The Training Department opened this year most auspiciously, with three hundred fifty pupils enrolled in Wilson Hall (the Campus School), five hundred sixty seven in the public school of the Borough of Indiana, and approximately eleven hundred fifty in the Training rooms in the cities of Johnstown and Altoona. This makes a total of two thousand sixty seven children in rooms that are used by Indiana as Teacher Training Centers.

Ten "Room Critics" supervise the work on the campus; sixteen in the Indiana Public Schools; sixteen in Johnstown and sixteen in Altoona; in all fifty eight Training Teachers give their full time to this work. In addition to this we have a Primary Supervisor, an Intermediate Supervisor, two supervisors in Art, three in Music, one in Home Economics and two in Physical Education. With this fine and very complete type of supervision the work of both the Seniors and the children naturally reaches a very high standard. The interest this fall is very keen; the spirit of all of the Training School workers is splendidly earnest and the results most gratifying.

As our Senior Classes have steadily increased in size, it has become necessary to establish Teacher Training Centers in our neighboring cities of Altoona and Johnstown. Sixteen strong teachers were selected in the fall from the teaching force of each of these cities and one student teacher was assigned to each; in this way provision has been made for training thirty two seniors in the field. Each girl teaches for a full day for the entire semester. Although the Teaching Senior is initiated into the work gradually it is expected that she will be able to carry the entire teaching load by the end of the eighteen weeks. The plan seems to be working splendidly. The girls feel that they are getting most valuable experience and training and the report from the Training Teachers in the extension centers indicate that the children are greatly benefitted by the individual atten-

tion which they receive under this plan. Doubtless additional centers will be established in other neighboring towns.

Indiana Training Teachers in Altoona are as follows:

Primary—Miss Charlotte Hughes, Miss Aletha Beery, Miss Magdalene Bair, Miss Kathryn Forbes, Miss Ethel Brumbaugh, Miss Elizabeth O'Friel, Miss Josephine Jami-son.

Intermediate—Miss Winifred Hileman, Miss Rita A. McDonnell, Miss Ruth Hamilton, Miss Emma Greg, Miss Margaret Ritchey, Miss Sara Wagner, Miss Isabel Graham, Miss Ella Rourke.

Indiana Training Teachers in Johnstown are as follows:

Primary—Mrs. Mary B. Moore, Miss Miriam Reese, Miss Maude Snowden, Miss Bernadette O'Connell, Miss Nellie Jennings, Miss Alice Bass, Miss Eva Griffith, Miss Margaret Heebner.

Intermediate—Miss Marie Hessler, Miss Neva Harrison, Mrs. Emma Wilson, Miss Margaret Altenus, Miss Elizabeth McDonough, Miss Barbara Hanson, Miss Agnes McCloskey, Miss Elizabeth Buchanan.

The following additions have been made this year to our Training School Faculty:

Miss Mary L. Russell, B. S., Ohio University, M. A. Columbia University, Intermediate. Supervisor. Miss Russell has had excellent experience in both elementary and High School work in Ohio and as Director of Training in Jacksonville, Florida and in Salem College, West Virginia.

Miss Verna Elefson, B. A., University of Iowa, Fifth Grade Training Teacher, West End School. Miss Elefson taught for eleven years in the public schools of Iowa and

for the past two years served as Normal Training Critic in the High School at Lanoni, Iowa.

Miss Dorothy Little, Ph. B., University of Chicago. Graduate State Teachers' College, Winona, Minn. Fourth Grade Training Teacher, East End School. Miss Little has had excellent experience in the schools of Minneapolis and Hibbing, Minn., Evanston, Ill., and Miles, Michigan.

Miss Dorothy Marcy, Ph. B., University of Chicago. Graduate State Teachers' College, De Kalb, Ill. Third Grade Training Teacher, East End. Miss Marcy comes to us from the schools of Maywood, Ill., and Chicago Heights, Ill.

Miss Bonnie K. Bowen, A. B. and Diploma in Elementary Education University of Pittsburgh, Second Grade Training Teacher, West End. Miss Bowen has had a very board experience in Public Schools of Mississippi and in private schools in Pittsburgh. She also did Demonstration work for the University of Pittsburgh and later was a member of the Faculty of the State Normal School Mansfield, Pa., in the capacity of Primary Supervisor.

Miss Jessie Pitcher Columbia University. First Grade Critic. Wilson Hall. Miss Pitcher's earlier experience in public school work was followed by two years as Primary Observation Teacher, Cheney State Normal School, Washington and nine years as Primary Critic, State Normal School, Marquette, Michigan.

Miss Doris Miller, Whitewater State Normal School, University of Wisconsin. Junior High School Critic. Miss Miller has taught with excellent success in the High School, Readston, Wisconsin and the Junior High School, Baraboo, Wisconsin.

Miss Helen Horne, State Normal School, Indiana, and Ohio State University, Intermediate Critic. Miss Horne has had experience in Public School work in Western Pennsyl-

vania. She also served as Assistant Training Teacher in the summer session of 1924.

Another of our own girls, Miss Martha E. Fleming, Indiana 1920, returns to us this year as Training School Secretary. Since graduating from Indiana, Miss Fleming has received the degree of B. S. from the Carnegie Institute of Technology. By training and temperment Miss Fleming is unusually well adapted to this type of work.

One of the very pleasant events of October was the Intermediate Food Sale, held in the Sixth Grade room, Wilson Hall. The generous cooperation of parents and teachers and the splendid patronage of the Normal School made this a great success. The children were delighted to find that the net receipts were something more than sixty dollars. The money will be spent for books for the Intermediate Library.

The beautiful flag which is displayed every day on Wilson Hall was presented to the school by the Intermediate pupils of Wilson, Summer Session of 1925.

The following members of our Training School force are on leave of absence for study this year:

Miss Amy Gray—Columbia University.

Miss Vera Simpson—University of Colorado.

Miss Mary Hart—University of Pittsburgh.

NEW MEMBERS OF THE FACULTY

Besides the changes in the faculty of the Training School which are discussed in another article, there have been a number of additions to the regular teaching faculty. Space forbids more than the briefest statement of the training and experience of each new member.

Irma Aleshire, M. D., B. S.—Resident Physician.

Education:—Carthage, Ill., Public School and High School; 1906-1918; University of Chicago, B. S., 1922; University of Chicago Medical College (Rush Medical College,) M. D., 1924; Interne, St. Francis Hospital, Evanstown, Ill, 1924-1925.

Elmer N. Beebe, Ph. B.—Instructor in Commercial Education.

Education:—Graduate High School, Big Rapids, Mich.; University of Michigan, Ph. B.; student of Business, University of Pittsburgh, Duquesne University, 1915-1920; Graduate Research Educational Methods and Industry, University of Pittsburgh, 1924-1925; many years with Industrial Corporations and Public Accountants.

Experience:—Duquesne University, Instructor in Advanced Accounting, 1922-1924.

Lola A. Beelar, B. S.—Instructor in Music.

Education:—Wabash, Ind., High School; Graduate in Public School Music Metropolitan School of Music, Indianapolis, Ind.; Graduate Teachers' College, Indianapolis, Ind.; Studied voice under Edward Nell, Indianapolis, Glenn Frier-mood, Indianapolis, Norman Jolliff, New York; B. S. Columbia University, New York, 1918.

Experience:—Supervisor of Music, Churubusco, Ind., 1913-1914; Arlington, Ind., 1915-1916; Noblesville Ind., 1918-1920; Elwood, Ind., 1920-1922; County Music Supervisor, Steuben County, Ind., 1922-1925; Public School Music, Winona Lake Summer Normal, Winona Lake, Ind., 1922-1925.

Lillian Christensen—Resident Nurse.

Education:—Public Schools of Evanstown, Ill., 1907-1919; Nurses' Training, St. Francis Hospital, 1919-1922;

State Registration in Ill. 1922; Post Graduate course at the Chicago Lying-In Hospital, 1922.

Warren Nevin Drum, B. S., A. M.—Dean of Instruction.

Education:—Graduate Bloomsburg State Normal School 1905; Lackawanna Business College Scranton, Pa., diploma 1908, diploma 1909. Teachers College, Columbia University, B. S., 1914 and A. M. 1915. Graduate work Columbia University 1918-20 (late afternoon and Saturday classes) and summer Session 1919.

Experience:—Dickinson Seminary, Williamsport, Pa., 1905-1907; High School, Flemington, N. J., Feb.-June, 1909; High School, Kingston, Pa., 1909-1912; City Superintendent of Schools, Millville, N. J., 1914-1918; Superintendent of Schools, Cliffside Park, N. J., 1918-1920; Principal of State Normal School, Lock Haven, Pa., 1920-1925. At Indiana since 1925.

Martin R. Daley, A. B.—Instructor in Commercial Education.

Education:—High School, Valentine, Neb., 1906-1908, Second Grade Teachers' Certificate, S. Dak., 1908; Preparatory School and University, Vermilion, S. Dak., 1908-1911 and 1912-1914; Gregg School of Shorthand, Summer 1912; University of Michigan 1914-1916, A. B.; Salesmanship Course, Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, New York. Three Year Advanced Accounting Course, Walton School of Commerce, Chicago Ill.

Experience:—Sixth and Seventh grades, Ipswich, S. Dak., 1911-1912; Head of Commercial Department, Wadena, Minn., 1919; Head of Commercial Department, Two Harbors, Minn., 1919-1920; Head of Commercial Department, Winona, Minn., 1920-1922; Public Accounting, Minneapolis Minn., Summer 1920; Auditing and Installing Public School Accounting System at Winona, Minn., Summer 1921; Head of Commercial Department, Wyandotte, Mich., 1922-1923;

Auditing and Public Accounting, Detroit, Mich., 1923-1925.

Lena Ellenberger, B. S., M. A.—Director Physical Education.

Education:—Graduate of High School, Emporia, Kansas; B. S., State Teachers' College, Emporia, Kansas, 1920; A. M., Teachers' College, Columbia University, 1925.

Experience:—Physical Education in Grades, Fredonia, Kansas, 1915-1918; Physical Education for Girls and Principal of Academy, Midland College, Fremont, Nebraska, 1918-1919, and 1920-1921; Physical Education in Grades, Des Moines, Iowa, 1921-1924.

Jenny Lind Green, A. M.—Extension.

Education:—Graduate Illinois State Normal University, 1910; Diploma in Supervision, Teachers' College, Columbia University, 1914; A. M. Teachers' College, Columbia University, 1920.

Experience:—Rural and Grade Schools, 3 years; Assistant Principal of High School, 1 year; Critic Teacher, 3 years; Training Teacher and Assistant in Education, State Teachers' College of Colorado, 3 years; Training Teacher, University Elementary School, Chicago, 2 years; Teacher, Horace Mann School, Teachers' College, Columbia University, Summer 1919; General Supervisor of Grammar Grade Teaching, 1920-1923, San Antonio, Texas; Research, 1924; Teacher of Introduction to Education, General Method of Education, Reading Methods, Spring and Summer, 1925, Illinois State Normal University.

Florence Hughes, A. B.—Nature Study.

Education:—Graduate Indianapolis City Normal, Indianapolis, Ind., 1912; University of Wisconsin, Summer, 1920; Cornell University, Summer, 1921; Colorado University, Summer, 1923; Teachers' College, Columbia University,

Semester 1924; Butler University, 1924-1925, A. B.

Experience:—Elementary Teacher, Indianapolis, Ind., 1912-1919; Teacher in Nature Study in Elementary Grades, Cleveland Heights, Ohio, 1919-1921; Supervisor of Nature Study, Cleveland Heights, Ohio, 1921-1924.

Mrs. Louise Anderson MacDonald, B. A., M. A.—Associate Professor of English.

Education:—Iowa State Teachers' College, B. A. in Education, 1907; University of Iowa, A. M., 1912; Columbia University, Summer, 1914, University of California, Summer, 1917; University of Chicago, Summer, 1922.

Experience:—Instructor in Latin and German, High School, Storm Lake, Iowa, 1917-1910; Fellow at the University of Iowa, 1910-1912; Instructor in English, State Normal School, Lewiston, Idaho, 1912-1914; Assistant Professor of the Teaching of English, University of Wyoming, 1914-1918; Assistant Professor of the Teaching of English, University of Kansas, 1921-1925.

John Wesley Neff, B. S., M. A.—Director Department of Music.

Education:—High School, Preparatory Department Kirksville State Normal School, Kirksville, Mo., 1908-1913; Kirksville State Teachers' College, 1913-1917, B. S.; Graduate Student, University of Wisconsin, Summer 1919; Special Study, New England Conservatory of Music, Boston, 1921; Voice, Charles Adams White, Boston; Theory, Frederick S. Converse, Boston; Teachers' College, Columbia University, M. A. in Education, Diploma in Music Supervision, 1925.

Experience:—Elementary Schools, Macon County, Mo., 1911-1912; 1914-1916; Supervisor of Music, Kirksville Public Schools, 1917-1920; Instructor in Summer faculty, George Peabody College for Teachers, Nashville, Tenn.,

1921; Director of Vocal Department and Public School Music, State Teachers' College, Kirksville, Mo., 1921-1924.

Caroline B. Olson—Resident Nurse.

Education:—Public Schools at Sturgeon Bay, Wis., 1908-1920. Nurses' Training, Norwegian American Hospital, Chicago, Ill., 1923; State Registration in Illinois, 1923; Post Graduate Course, Illinois Clinical Laboratory, Chicago, Ill., 1924.

Anna Bernice Orndorff, Ph. B., M. A.—Professor of English.

Education:—Graduate of Shortridge High School, Indianapolis, Ind., 1900-1904; Indiana University, 1904, 1905; Indianapolis Normal School, 1905-1907; School of Applied Arts, Chicago, Ill., Summer 1910; Teachers' College, Columbia University, Summer 1911; John Herron Art Institute, Indianapolis, Ind., 1911-1912; University of Chicago, 1916-1918, Ph. B. in History; Teachers' College, Columbia, Fall Semester, 1920; Iowa University, 1923-1925, M. A. in Education.

Experience:—Grade Teacher, Indianapolis, Public Schools, 1906-1911; Junior High Teacher, Indianapolis, 1911-1916; Training Teacher Junior High English, State Teachers' College, Greeley, Colo.; Instructor in Education, Iowa State University, Summer 1925.

Anna M. Uglum, B. S.—Assistant Home Economics.

Education:—Graduate, Minn. State Teachers' College, Winona, 1918; Special Courses, University of Chicago, Summers, 1918, 1920; University of Minnesota, B. S., 1922; Teachers' College, Columbia University, 1925.

Experience:—Home Economics, High School and Grades, Hutley, Minn., 1918-1920; Home Economics, High School and Grades, Waubun, Minn., 1922-1923; Home Economics, High School and Grades, Brainerd, Minn., 1923-1925.

LITERARY SOCIETIES—PRESENT ARTISTS

During the week of October 5th, in the Normal auditorium, thru the enterprise of the Erodelphian-Huyghenian Literary Society, both Mr. and Mrs. Phidelah Rice of the Leland Powers' School of the Spoken Word, Boston, Massachusetts, were presented to its membership of almost six hundred. The Rices are dramatic readers who give most delightful and artistic performances.

On the evening of October 7th, Mr. Rice read "David Garrick" that charming and colorful old English play by W. T. Robertson. Thursday evening Mrs. Rice read Paul Keister's "Friend Hanna," and on Friday evening both artists appeared in joint recital, Mrs. Rice using two one-act plays, "The Twelve Pound Look" and "Rosalind" by Sir James Barrie; Mr. Rice "The Taming of the Shrew". Unanimously we wish for a return engagement of the Rices.

On October 20th, also presented by the Literary Society, in the Ritz Theatre, Mr. Alfred Noyes, English Poet lectured and read his poetry. His subject "Music in Verse" prefaced the rendition of "The Highwayman," "The Barrel Organ," "Drake," "The Elfin Artist" and others. Mr. Noyes does not pose as an actor but "in feeling his own verse as he speaks it, he gives a wonderfully effective and dramatic rendition of it. Mr. Noyes is a poet for men, broad-shouldered, manly and sturdy and the dominant quality of his poetry is virility".—Milwaukee Journal.

"He is one of the most melodious of modern writers, with a witchery in words, that at its best is irresistible" says Professor William Lyon Phelps.

Edmund Gosse in the London Times says, "I am growing a little tired of the 'poetry' of which one has to say 'that is splendid, but what the devil does it mean'? I find in "Watchers of the Sky" a picturesqueness and a perfect intelligibil-

ity. Alfred Noyes is here, as always, pellucid in description, clear in sentiment, generous in aspiration."

From the New York Tribune: "I venture to say that Alfred Noyes has done more to install a love of poetry into the younger generation than almost anyone now writing verse..... A noble thing to have done."

The Literary Society audience in Mr. Noyes' own words "met him more than half way" appreciated fully our great and unusual privilege.

THE 1925 HEALTH WEEK

Earlier, easier, more effective, characterizes our Good Health Week this year. The week was divided into special days and activities in keeping with the general plan viz. "to make health contagious" and develop a health conscience, were carried on.

Food day was perhaps the most novel. It is a known fact that the average girl of Normal School age is likely to eat too much between meals and too little at meals.

To demonstrate this fact to our girls, three meals were planned to supply between 2200 and 2300 calories the energy and tissue needs of the average girl at Indiana. Supplying calories is easy but securing the necessary 60. grams of protein, .012 grams of iron, .67 grams of calcium, 1.32 grams of phosphorus and vitamins A, B, and C so frequently absent from the diet, were also supplied. (It might be interesting to those of us who think we are too busy to give our diet much concern, to know that the quantities of iron, calcium, phosphorus and vitamins A, B, and C will be supplied each day, if our diet contains the equivalent of twelve tablespoonfuls of fruit and vegetables.)

Each girl was requested to go to the dining room for each meal and for once get all that a scientifically planned meal would give her in bulk, calories, protein, iron, calcium, phosphorus and vitamins, and see how she felt.

The purpose of this demonstration or control meal, was to let each girl check up on her eating habits, and see how nearly she was approximating the average. We weigh and measure ourselves for the same purpose. Do you know whether your weight is up to the average for your height and age?

Monday was "Fresh Air Day", Tuesday, "Health Inventory Day", Wednesday, "Food Day", Thursday, "Exercise Day", Friday, "Good Posture Day".

Every day should be a day of concern for every individual with respect to his or her outdoor exercise habit; food habits, and good posture habits.

Once a year (the birthday makes a good day) the health inventory should be taken if we expect to remain in the state of health we now possess, or intend to secure a state of health that will provide for each individual a healthful future.

"Health Weeks" serve as reminders. We hope that the alumni, one and all, will ask themselves, "Have I a real Health Conscience?" And if the answer be "Nay", we urge upon you the value of the annual health inventory as the starting point for all health improvement.



MEETING OF EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

Miss Margaret Lowman, third grade critic teacher in the Normal Training School, who is president of the grade teachers' department of the P. S. E. A., was called to Scranton, October 10, to attend a meeting of the Executive Council of the Pennsylvania State Education Association to plan for the seventy-sixth meeting of the P. S. E. A., which meets in Scranton, December 29-31.

Supt. Rhys Powell, of the Scranton Schools, met with the Council and reported that people of Scranton are desirous of extending their hospitality to the teachers of the state, and that they are planning for the comfort and entertainment of their visitors.

Constructive programs have been planned for the different departments and round tables. Some of the speakers to appear are: Frank D. Shultz, Moraine Park School, Dayton, Ohio; Leonard V. Koos, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minnesota; Stephen Leacock, McGill University, Montreal, Canada; Fannie Dunn, Teachers' College, Columbia University, New York City; Marvin S. Pittman, Director of Rural Schools, Ypsilanti, Michigan; Samuel C. Schmucker, Biologist, West Chester, Pa.; R. G. Reynolds, Teachers' College, Columbia University, New York; Grover H. Alderman, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, Pa.; C. A. Prosser, President Dunnwoody Institute, Minneapolis.

Indiana always takes a leading part in the P. S. E. A. conventions, Dr. Keith being called upon to serve on many important committees. Last year he was President of the College and Teacher Training School Department.

A FOUR YEAR COURSE.

The three years General Home Economics Course at the State Normal School has been changed to a four years Vocational Home Economics Course. The graduates of

this department will be prepared to accept positions in the Vocational High Schools of the State.

News has been received that all the Home Economics graduates of June, 1925, are located in good positions, and are delighted with their work and the new community in which they live.

Miss Collins, director of the Home Economics Department, and the Home Economics faculty, sends greetings to each teacher in her new field, and hopes that she will not only be a success and an influence in her school but in the community as well.

Eighteen new students registered for the Four Years Vocational Home Economics Course.

The Practice Cottage was redecorated during the summer. Alumni, we know you will like it. Come back to see us.

MARRIAGES

Anna W. Bartges (Home Economics, '22) State College, and Byron E. Decker, Spring Mills.

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Mrs. Mary B. Wood announces the marriage of her daughter, Katherine Louise, '21, to Mr. Justus Francis Hess, Friday, January 9, 1925, Tarentum, Pa.

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On Monday, April 13, 1925, in the Protestant Episcopal Cathedral of Saint John the Divine, New York City, occurred the marriage of Helen M. Welsh of Vandergrift and Dr. Samuel G. Henderson of Apollo. The bride is a graduate of Wilson College, class of 1924 and obtained the degree of Master of Arts from Columbia University in 1925. Dr. Henderson is a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania

class of 1925 and is doing his intern work at the Allegheny General Hospital Pittsburgh, Pa. Mrs. Henderson is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Welsh, both of the class of 1898.

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On Wednesday evening, August the 26th , 1925, in the St. Peter's Evangelical Lutheran church occurred the marriage of Miss Mabel A. Buck of Tarentum, Pa. and Mr. Harry E. Maddock of Easton, Pa. Mrs. Maddock graduated in the class of 1920. The new home is to be established in Philadelphia.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harry McNelly announce the marriage of their daughter, Loretta Gertrude to Mr. Stephen I. Wargo, Aug. 29, 1925, Washington, Pa.

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The following is taken from the Valley Daily News, Tarentum, Pa., June 23, 1925: One of the pretty events of the early summer season was the double wedding solemnized today at high noon in the Felmley home this city, when Mabel Dorothy Felmley, '21, was united in marriage with George Emerson Rickart, of Williamsport and Pittsburgh, and Miss Helen Elizabeth Felmley, '21, became the bride of Robert Patterson, Junior, of this place.

Miss Dorothy Felmley was given in marriage by Paul Spahr, Senior, and Miss Helen was given away by M. Carl Spahr, uncles of the brides. Both wore frocks of white georgette and lace tulle veils held in place with orange blossoms. Miss Dorothy Felmley was attended by her sister, Jean, Miss Grace Patterson, a sister of the groom, as bridesmaid to Miss Helen Felmley. Mr. Rickart was attended by Frank Riale, of Williamsport, while William Patterson, of Baltimore, Maryland as his brother's best man, completed the bridal party.

Mr. and Mrs. Rickart left on an extended trip to Cleveland and western points and upon their return will at home to their friends at 203 Colonial apartments, Wilkesburg, Pa., while Mr. and Mrs. Patterson departed for a trip to Atlantic City, Philadelphia and a visit with the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Patterson, of Baltimore, Maryland, and upon their return will reside with the bride's mother, Mrs. Daisy Felmley, at 1026 Summit Street.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Washington Foster announce the marriage of their daughter, Ruth Armstrong Foster, '19 to Mr. Gail Willard Pringle, Saturday, June 27th, Franklin, Pennsylvania.

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Mrs. Mary E. Smiley announces the marriage of her daughter, Elizabeth Marie Smiley, '17, to Mr. Elmer Eaton Harper on Saturday, June 27th, Burgettstown, Pa.

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Bertha A. Statler, '17, of Somerset, Pa. was married to Henry J. Walker, June 25th. They are residing at Middlestown, Delaware.

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Mrs. Charles Hansen announces the marriage of her daughter, Irma Joann Hansen, '21, to Mr. D. Norman MacDonald on Wednesday the seventh of June, 1925, Butler, Pa. The new home will be at 131 First Street, Butler.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Logan Culley announce the marriage of their daughter, Lucille Logan Culley, '17, to Mr. John Wilbert Welch on July 30, 1925, Burgettstown, Pa.

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Hazel Irene Swartz, '20, and Mr. Buel N. Wright were married on Saturday Sept. 6th., 1925, Bristow, Oklahoma.

The young couple have established a home at 215 West Fifth Street, Oklahoma City.

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The marriage of Ruth Leslie Stuart, '21 and Mr. Wilber Hayden Smith took place at Brackenridge, Pa., Monday September 7th. Mr. and Mrs. Smith will reside at Mt. Vernon, Parnassus, Pa.

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Mr. and Mrs. William Robert Stephenson of Jacksonville, Florida, announce the marriage, Sept. 3rd., of their daughter, Edith Evelyn (Public School Music Course, 1919) to Mr. Alvin Lester. Mr. and Mrs. Lester will be at home to their friends at 3331 Pine Street, Jacksonville, Florida.

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Pittsburgh Gazette Times, Nov. 3rd.: Miss Ruth Gladys Armstrong, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Alter Armstrong of the East End, became the bride of Dr. Frank A. Banks of New Kensington, at a ceremony solemnized on Saturday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock in the chapel of the East Liberty Presbyterian church, with the Rev. Dr. James Newton Armstrong of New York, uncle of the bride, officiating, assisted by the Rev. Dr. Stuart Nye Hutchison, pastor of the church. The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was unattended. Logan S. Rugh of New Kensington was best man and the ushers included Dr. Raymond N. Wilson of New Kensington and Charles Gilbert Wolfenden of Indiana, Pa. Mrs. Grace Sefton Mayor, '13, of Johnstown sang accompanied by Mrs. Wolfenden, '14. A dinner and reception followed the ceremony in the Hotel Schenley. After an Eastern trip, Dr. and Mrs. Banks will be at home in New Kensington.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Gilbert Barnes announce the marriage of their daughter, Ruth Evangeline, to Mr. Gerald Hill Brown on Saturday, Sept. 12, Springdale, Pa.

DEATHS

Johnstown, Oct. 2.—Miss Sara Margaret McGahan, aged 21, of Venango Street, Westmont, died at 8 o'clock last evening at her home, following an extended illness. Within the last few months she had undergone several unsuccessful operations. Miss McGahan was a daughter of Charles E. McGahan, assistant Cashier of the First National Bank, and Sarah Arbaugh McGahan. She was graduated from the Westmont-Upper Yoder High School in the class of 1921 and from the Indiana Normal School in 1923. Funeral services will be conducted at the home at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon in charge of the Rev. Robert M. Campbell, pastor of the First Presbyterian church. Interment will be in Grandview cemetery.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smith announce the arrival of Martha Elizabeth on August 14, 1925, Birmingham, Alabama.

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Mr. and Mrs. Hugh M. Munce, Florence Clarke, '13, of Washington, Pa., announce the birth of a son, Joseph Lloyd on Sept. 5th., 1925.

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Mr. and Mrs. David D. Reid of Brookville, Pa., July 17, 1925, a son, David Ira. Mrs. Reid will be remembered as Charlotte Rhodes of New Castle, Pa. Both Mr. and Mrs. Reid were graduates of the '17 class.

John J. Manganiella "Maggie", '22, entered Bucknell University in September. He is taking the Pre-Medical course.

Miss Margaret J. Lowman, '05, Critic Teacher, 2nd. Grade, attended the National Educational Association held in Indianapolis June 20-July 3rd. Miss Lowman is President of the Elementary Teachers Section of the Pennsylvania State Teachers Association.

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Philadelphia, Feb. 23, Dr. Hubert Work, Secretary of Interior will be one of the seven men upon whom honorary degrees will be conferred by the University of Pennsylvania at its 100th commemoration of the birthday of George Washington today at the Academy of Music. Dr. Work received his M. D. degree from the same institution forty years ago, when he came to the college from Indiana county, Pennsylvania. Today his alma matar will confer the degree of doctor of laws upon him.

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Dr. Ray Lyman Wilbur, president of Leland Stanford University, who will also receive the doctor of laws degree, will deliver an address on "Intelligence First."

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The many Cambria County members of the Alumni will be interested in the following contribution:

We have been ambitious for years to have a song distinctively Cambria Countian. We are pleased herewith to present a poem, the result of much effort on the part of Miss Paterick, class of 1915 of Hastings. I feel that we are all indebted to Miss Paterick for her untiring efforts in producing this very worthy production.

Another worthy feature connected with the song is that the melody to which it is written, "America's Answer" to "In Flanders Field," was copyrighted by T. L. Gibson, class of 1890, former county superintendent of Cambria County. We are indeed indebted to Mr. Gibson for his generosity in permitting us to use the melody in connection with this song.

"CAMBRIA COUNTIAN"

Dedicated to Dr. M. S. Bentz

I.

Fair Cambria dear, thy beauty thrills
And thy great destiny fulfills!
A vision glimpsed at Beulah-Road,
When once beheld, gleamed on and glowed.
Gallitzin's name we honor yet,
nor lives so beautiful forget;
Brave pilgrim souls from o'er the sea,
This sacred spot we owe to thee.

Soft shadowy vales, and dewy sod
With daisies, asters, golden-rod;
In spring the apple-blossoms smile;
Arbutus, violets, beguile!
With gentle care, in God's own time,
He moulded Cambria's hills sublime!

II.

Old Conemaugh collects thy streams
And on to Mississippi beams,
West Susquehanna steals some brooks
For old Atlantic from thy nooks;
As on and on they smoothly glide
Past fields of grain, through valleys wide.
Industry, fame, and health are thine;
And harvests rich, from tree and vine!

So labor's shown upon they seal,
The emblem of thy life and zeal;
To teach thy sons to work and wait
For progress lies at labor's gate.
To state and nation, school and home;
No hearts are truer than thine own!

III.

Dear Father, guide us ever through
The paths of peace, our task to do;
That we, by truth and love impressed,
Guard well the spot Thou hast so blessed;
Inspired by Cambria's sons of fame,
A Peary's or a Cadman's name.
Courageous, dauntless, may we be
For service to humanity!

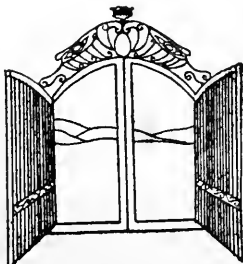
Brave sentinels! Ye mighty pines,
Still keep soft vigil o'er our shrines;
While softly bend the maple trees,
Swayed by the gentle Cambria breeze,
O'er diamond acres, gift designed
Of God, through ages, for mankind.

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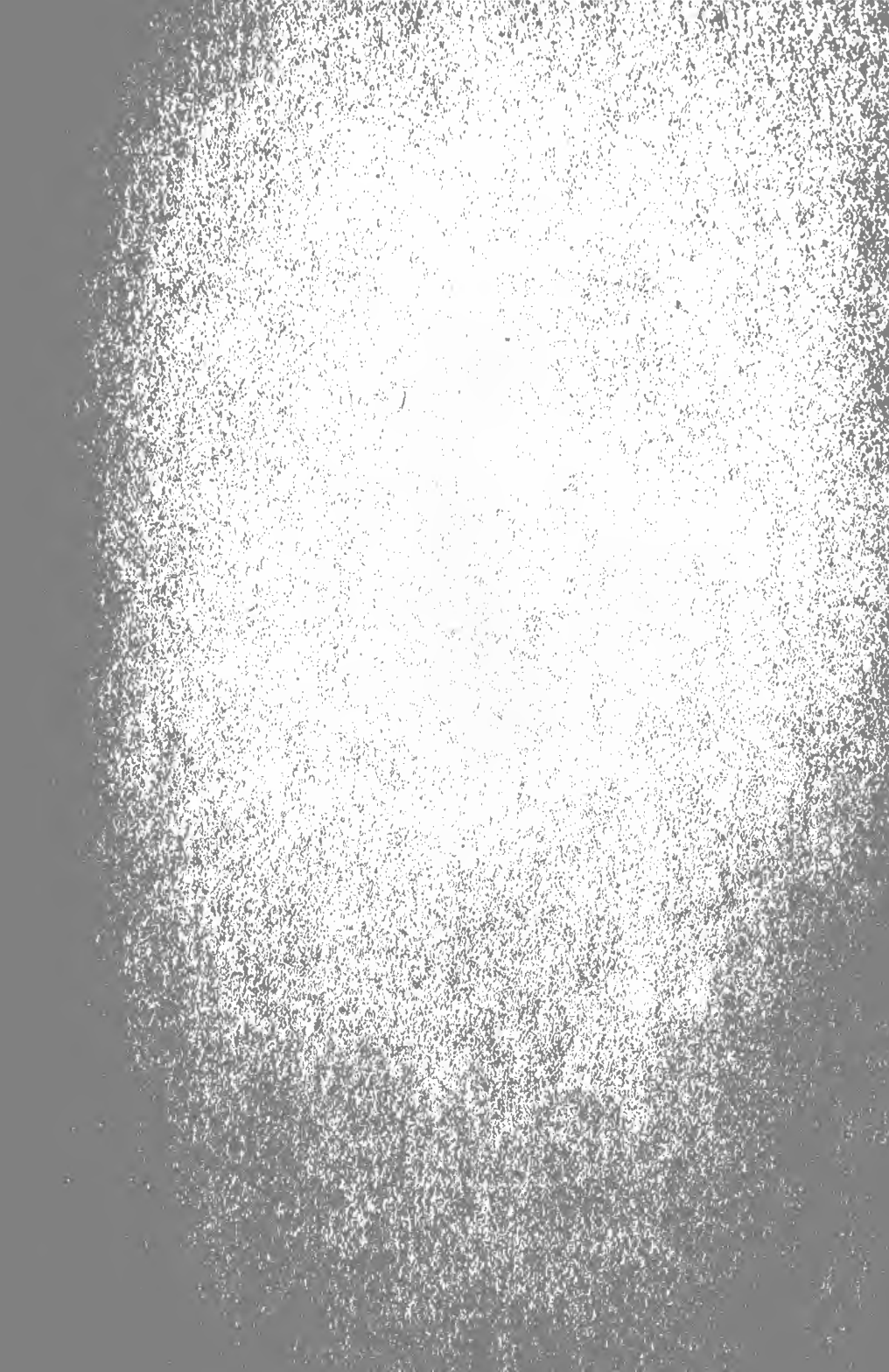
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